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NEW REGULATIONS AS TO CANDIDATES FOR A DEGREE.—The Faculty of the School has recently passed three important votes, the effect of which, it would seem, will be to raise still higher the standard of the School, and to add to the significance of a degree obtained here.

First: "Hereafter no applicant will be admitted as a first year or special student unless he registers between Commencement Day and the first day of December following."

Second: "To students entering hereafter, as candidates for a degree, the privilege of spending the second or third year away from the School will be granted only in rare instances, and upon cogent reasons being presented to the Faculty."

Third: "After June, 1898, third year students who are candidates for the ordinary degree, as well as those who are candidates for the honor degree, will be required to take ten hours work a week, instead of eight hours, as at present."

THE UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI LAW SCHOOL.—That portion of the Annual Report of the University of Cincinnati for the year 1896 which gives an account of the foundation of a law department there, should call forth hearty wishes for the success of the new School from all graduates and members of the Harvard Law School. It must be a source of gratification to the members of the Harvard Faculty that the ideas for which they have worked earnestly and consistently should be adopted by the very able body of men comprising the Faculty of the University of Cincinnati Law School; it is a tribute to the efficiency and an indication of the permanence of the methods of legal education instituted here. Starting on the right basis, and under thoroughly competent guidance, the new Law School is certain to succeed. The REVIEW takes pleasure in printing the following selection from the Report of its Dean, Judge Taft:—

"In the conduct of the Law School, the Faculty decided that its wisest course would be to follow as closely as circumstances would permit the